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FM AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM

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INFO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS IMMEDIATE

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AMEMBASSY KINSHASA IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY NAIROBI IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINS, CASC (SMUTS, BARBARA)(SMITH, KENNETH STEPHEN)

(HUNTER, CARRIE JANE)

SUBJ: KIDNAPPED AMERICANS: NEGOTIATIONS BEGIN FOR RELEASE

1. TWO REPRESENTATIVES OF PRP WALKED INTO EMBASSY AT 1115 HOURS LOCAL TODAY (JUNE 20) AND ASKED SPEAK TO ME. THEY BROUGHT LETTERS FROM STUDENTS DATED JUNE 15, 16 AND 17. SIGNATURES OF STUDENTS VERIFIED AND STUDENTS SAY THEY ARE WELL.

2. LETTERS CONTAIN REVISED CONDITIONS FOR RELEASE OF STUDENTS, AND STATE TWO PRP REPS AUTHORIZED ENTER INTO DIRECTO NEGOTIATIONS WITH USG AND DUTCH REPS.

3. I IMMEDIATELY INFORMED ASST SECTY DAVIS AND CONVENED QTE BACKUP GROUP UNQTE OF AMBASSADOR VAN DEN BERG, DEREK BRYCESON, DAVID HAMBURG AND EMB OFFICERS TO EVALUATE DEVELOPMENTS. WE THEN AGREED OFFER REQUESTED SECURITY AND SAFE PASSAGE FOR PRP DURING PERIOD OUR TALKS, AND WE NOW ENTERING THESE DISCUSSIONS  
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WITH ENTIRE QTE BACKUP GROUP UNQTE.

4. WILL REPORT FURTHER FOLLOWING CLOSE OF FIRST SESSION.  
CARTER

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